

# Iron County Register

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## LOCAL BREVITIES.

Probate court is in session this week.

County court proceedings are published this week.

We are glad to say that roads adjacent to Ironton are much improved.

Jessydale Farm, east of town, is to be sold under deed of trust next Monday.

Piedmont Fair September 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th. See advertisement next week.

The indications seem to be good for some mining on Pilot Knob in the near future.

C. R. Crow & Bro. have established a branch lumber and building supply business at Piedmont.

Nothing new relative to the high school. The board expects to announce the sale of the bonds soon.

The swimming hole has been quite popular during the sweltering weather, with the young as well as the old.

Mr. J. B. Evans, of Arcadia, is working at Piedmont, employed as one of the carpenters on the new Christian Church.

Fred Kindell, Jr., has bought a Dodge car from his brother-in-law, in Iowa, which, we are told, he expects to be delivered this week.

Dr. and Mrs. W. Copeland left for Arcadia Heights Tuesday morning. They went by Centerville in their Ford car.—Ellington Press.

Mrs. Woodside went to St. Louis Monday to purchase Fall Supplies for the "Style Shop," of which more particular notice will be given later.

The rains continue to be local. Last Friday night we had a fair shower, and south of us, on Crane Pond and Marble Creek, we are told there was a regular downpour.

A man was here from Washington county Saturday trying to induce some one to sell him a Ford car. He said the supply in Washington county had long been exhausted.

An effort will be made to induce the county court of St. Francois county to build a cement wall at the ford through the little creek this side of Middlebrook. It is much needed.

A. I. Willard of Ironton, Mo., was here several days last week in the interest of the Central State Life Insurance Company. Mr. Willard wrote several policies while here.—Ellington Press.

Prof. Wm. McKinney, of Caledonia, who will teach in the Ironton schools this year, is domiciled in the home of Mrs. Kate Whitworth, on Shepherd street.

Geo. Schultz last Wednesday received a message announcing the arrival of a baby boy at the home of his son, Louis, in St. Louis that day. Our congratulations and very best wishes.

John E. Kuhn, of Arcadia, went to Farmington Monday morning to examine the body of the famous Lang wagons. Mr. Kuhn reports the sale of quite a number of the wagons recently.

"Valley Inn" certainly has an enviable reputation for feeding its guests. Every one that visits that hostelry leaves with nothing but praise for Landlord Kanouse and his assistants.

The roads to and in St. Francois county are fine. The writer motored to Flat River and back Monday, and while there attended the circus that exhibited there that day. It was a delightful trip, indeed.

Among our callers last Saturday were J. S. O'Neal and one of his partners in the mercantile business, Mr. Hart, of Poplar Bluff. They came to attend the Baptist Assembly and made the trip in their Mitchell car.

Mr. Willard will vacate the hotel on September 1st and remove to his residence, the old Byers home, on north Knob street. J. W. Reed, who has been conducting the Kessler house during the summer, will take charge of the Willard.

We had a pleasant call Saturday from Chester J. Prince, a former Ironton boy, now living in St. Louis. Chester has had charge of the bank in Scruggs, Vandover & Barney's for some time past and says the position is a very pleasant one, indeed.

A card from Dr. Traenkle, who has been in the Rockies the past month, informs us that he has had a fine time at Manitou and Colorado Springs, and is now "doing things" about Denver. He will probably turn his face homeward in a few days.

Our long time friend, Thos. Johnson, Esq., last Saturday presented us with a fine specimen of the home-grown watermelon as we ever saw. It weighed 26 1/2 lbs. and was delicious, indeed. Mr. Johnson has certainly grown some fine cantaloupes and watermelons this season.

B. S. Gregory represented Iron county at the meeting of the Democratic Congressional Committee of this district at De Soto, Tuesday. Parkhurst Sleeth of St. Francois County and Geo. W. Silvers of Wayne County were named as members of the State Central Committee.

Our old friend, Mr. J. M. Morris, with his two sons, G. W. and J. O., and his son-in-law, Mr. Washburn, and families, from Farmington, motored to Arcadia Heights last Sunday. We acknowledge a call and were glad to see Mr. Morris in such good health, notwithstanding he is near the 73rd mile post.

Watermelons are bringing record prices this season. A short crop in the south and the hot weather accounts for an unusual demand and farmers having a crop of melons are striking it rich. Very few cars have sold as low as \$1.50 on the track at the point of loading and real good cars bring as high as \$2.25.—Dunklin Democrat.

Christina Oesterle, for nearly half a century a resident of Middlebrook, but who has been away from there for several years past, dropped into that quiet hamlet last Friday and informed his old friends and neighbors that in the state of Indiana he had recently taken unto himself a wife. Mr. Oesterle is 79 and his bride 64 years of age. "There is nothing half so sweet in life as love's young dream."

Les Yount, of Marble Creek, we understand, has been named as temporary carrier for the new rural route to be established out of Arcadia September 1st.

Relief from the excessive heat that has characterized the past six weeks or more came Sunday evening and the night was pleasant and cool. The weather man, Hicks, says that the next ten days are to be unusually cool for August. There have been a couple of showers the past week, but we still need rain.

The past week's session of the Baptist Assembly at Arcadia Heights has been successful in the extreme. Every body seems pleased and happy and the hill has never been more popular than it is this year. The attendance at the morning service Sunday was large and about \$2,000 was subscribed for further improvement.

Miss Anna Polk of Marble Creek left Monday for Ingomar, Montana, where she will take charge of a school. She is a bright, intelligent young lady, well equipped for her new duties, and goes to her new home attended by the good wishes of this community. Her brother, C. H. Polk, is editor and publisher of the Ingomar Record.

Permission was given the Silver Mine Telephone Co. this week by the County Court to construct and maintain telephone lines through St. Michael and Polk townships. The telephone service between Fredericktown and the mines is so poor that Superintendent Edmondson has decided to construct his own line direct between the two points.—Fredericktown Democrat-News.

A change in the management of the Bismarck hotel was effected Thursday when Mrs. L. James of St. Louis purchased the interests from Mrs. B. T. Eaton. Mrs. James will assume charge about 15th. Mrs. Eaton has been conducting the hotel since the death of her husband and has kept one of the best hotels in Southeast Missouri. The new proprietress is also no stranger in the business as she managed the Commercial Hotel at De Soto for a number of years.—Bismarck Gazette.

The hot weather, we suppose, developed the war spirit in our annually peaceful community last Saturday, for there were three fights in the valley that day. J. W. Allen of north Ironton and Chas. Landie, of Graniteville, had a fight on Main street, and Lee Usher of north Ironton and Wm. Hornbeck of Pilot Knob had an affray near the Ironton station. Jack Coad and a man by the name of Willie in Arcadia had a scrap in Arcadia in the afternoon. Some pretty hard knocks passed, but no one seriously injured.

From the Kennett Democrat: "Interest in the big union revival, conducted by Rev. C. C. Brandt, at the Tabernacle, is daily increasing. Many are attending from nearby towns and large audiences are enjoying the strong gospel preaching and the singing. Sunday evening, at the close of the sermon, 32 expressed a desire to live a better life, and came forward for a word of prayer. Of this number 21 gave themselves wholly to Jesus. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evening many more expressed their desire to live a Christian life."

Prosecuting Attorney Edgar Tuesday filed with the Circuit Clerk information against George and Elliott Sherrill, alleging violations of the local option law. The Sherrills' place of business was in one of the small store houses in Ironton, near the depot. When the officer went to make the arrest Tuesday afternoon he found that the birds had flown—probably to greener fields and pastures new. Elliott Sherrill was indicted by the April grand jury and was out on parole. Should they ever return to this bailiwick they will promptly be taken in custody.

From Sunday's St. Louis Globe-Democrat: "An interesting trip for testing purposes was made on Friday, August 4th, by H. B. Krenning, president, G. F. Dorris, vice president, and Geo. L. Jeck, superintendent of the Dorris Motor Car Company. The trip was to try out the cooling system of the new Dorris under the most severe conditions. The run, which was to Arcadia, a distance of over 100 miles, was made over the Lemay Ferry road, going through Maxville, Antonio, Hillsboro, De Soto, Bonne Terre, Desloge, Flat River, Bismarck and Ironton. This trip is known as one of the hardest out of St. Louis on account of the severe hills of the De Soto road. The party left here at 7 A. M., arriving at Krenning's country home at Arcadia at 11:30 A. M., thus making the distance in four and a half hours, an average of over twenty miles an hour. The city temperature was about 97 degrees and that on the road must have been full 110 degrees. The entire trip and also return trip was made on the original amount of water, and the car performed in a satisfactory manner, which is proven by the time made. St. Louis motorists can give their machines a try-out, as well as enjoy a magnificent trip, by driving to Arcadia through the foothills of the Ozarks. The road is in excellent condition."

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, ss. Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATHARTIC CURE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 5th day of December, A. D. 1916.

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Advertisement.

Rural Carrier Examination.

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination for the County of Iron, Missouri, to be held at the courthouse, Ironton, on September 9, 1916, to fill the position of rural carrier at Arcadia and vacancies that may later occur on rural routes from other post offices in the above mentioned county. The examination will be open only to male citizens who are actually domiciled in the territory of a post office in the county and who meet the other requirements set forth in Form No. 1977. This form and application blanks may be obtained from the offices mentioned above or from the United States Civil Service Commission at Washington, D. C. Applications should be forwarded to the Commission at Washington at the earliest practicable date.

FOR SALE—Cow, three-fourths Jersey. Gentle and kind. Has calf five weeks old. Inquire at premises of Thos. B. Pruitt, Ironton, Mo.

## PERSONAL.

D. E. King went to De Soto Friday. Dr. M. Riggs went to St. Louis Monday.

A. Rieke went to St. Louis Thursday. A. P. Crow went to Piedmont Wednesday.

Mrs. A. M. Moore went to Brunot Monday. Mrs. C. E. Downey went to St. Louis Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Curry went to St. Louis Monday. Clarence and Goff Whitworth were here from St. Louis Sunday.

Miss Jennie Hinsdale returned to her home in Webster Groves Monday. C. P. Dameron of Newport, Arkansas, arrived in Ironton Tuesday afternoon.

Dr. J. H. Martin, of Edge Hill, passed through Ironton Friday, on his way to St. Louis.

Mr. B. Hughes of Edgehill passed through Ironton on his way to St. Louis Monday.

W. J. Fitz, wife and son of Libourn are guests of Dr. C. H. Jones and family in Ironton.

Maurice Huff will leave this week for Detroit, to accept a position in an automobile plant.

Mrs. Woodside and Miss Jessamine went to St. Louis on the Sunshine Special Monday morning.

Mr. George Evans, who has employment in St. Louis, visited home folks Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Goff Whitworth and daughter, after spending three weeks visiting in the valley, returned to St. Louis Tuesday.

Mrs. A. S. Prince of St. Louis and son, Warren, of Jackson, Tennessee, are among the visitors on Arcadia Heights.

For Sale—Two fine Jacks, one Stallion, four work mules; priced to move at once. M. D. BLANTON & BROS.

The Lutheran Church.

Divine services at the Lutheran Church of Pilot Knob next Sunday, August 20th, will be as follows:

The Rev. C. C. E. Brandt will preach a sermon in the German language in the service beginning at 3:30 P. M.

The Sunday School will not meet on this Sunday.

All interested in our services are invited to attend.

H. C. HARTING, Pastor.

Des Arc Items.

Business is certainly on the move down at Oran, Blodgett, Benton, Morley, Beatrund, and all through that country. More than one thousand cars of watermelons being loaded at the different points while I was there.

The Frisco railroad is doing a fine business. The watermelon crop is not so large, but the quality good. Stevenson & Fitz at Libourn bought six cars of flour from the Scott Milling Company at \$6. The tie business on the Belmont branch is booming. Flour at Oran is \$8; wheat, \$1.62. I was all through the last belt and at Farmington. Morris Bros. sold more than \$3,000 worth of goods the first eight days in August.

W. T. and J. H. Stevenson went to St. Louis Monday.

W. J. Fitz and family have gone to Ironton to visit Dr. C. H. Jones and family and spend a few days on Heights before returning to their home at Libourn, Mo.

R. H. Stevenson and son, Herbert, went to Ironton last week. The latter will remain there for treatment under Dr. Smith.

Rev. Baxter moved his family here from Mississippi. They will occupy the house vacated by Dr. White-side.

Mrs. Chas. Williams has gone to St. Louis, where she was called by the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. Mary Wilson, who was injured by falling from a street car and fracturing her skull.

Mrs. Jas. Walcott has gone to Colorado to visit her daughter, who is in very poor health.

Jack McFall and family spent Sunday on Arcadia Heights.

Jesse Jackson returned home from Cape Girardeau, where he has been in school.

Mrs. Grace Brown and baby from Hendricks were here last week to visit her sister, Mrs. J. H. Stevenson.

Miss Ruby White is home from Cape Girardeau, where she has been attending school.

Mrs. E. E. Whiteside and children have gone to Decatur, Ill., to visit her sister before moving to their home at Leadwood, Mo.

Mrs. John Reed, accompanied Rev. Elwood Taylor and wife to Coldwater to visit his parents.

F. F. Farr was in St. Louis last week.

Rev. O. L. Taylor will preach at the Baptist church next Sunday and Sunday night. ISAAC.

From Arcadia Heights.

The Baptist Assembly convened here Tuesday, the 8th, and up to date (Sunday) the enrollment is 855. The fact is that the Heights is really a city of tents where everything possible is being done for the comfort and pleasure of those attending.

The General Supply Store is in fact a very busy place, and the accommodating manager, Mr. Ringo, is working very hard to please and accommodate the very large number of customers who call daily at the store.

The restaurant, too, is, indeed, doing a very thriving business, and is giving entire satisfaction.

H. Latham, of Bellevue, who was attending the Assembly here, stopped over Saturday night with the writer.

We notice in the REGISTER that Houston McColl has been employed to teach the Bellevue school. Now that sounds good to the writer, for Mr. McColl is an excellent teacher, and I always believe in giving home talent preference.

Our old friend, James Barger, gave the writer a short call Sunday morning, while on his way to the Assembly. Mr. Barger made a trip Saturday to Kaolin with some parties who, it is said, are thinking of purchasing some land out there, with a view of opening up a crockery plant.

J. H. Hedrick Saturday sold at public sale most all of his personal property, and will leave this week to visit friends at his old home in Olney, Illinois. Thence he and his family will remove to his farm in Louisiana.

Mr. and Mrs. James Paul of Bellevue are among the campers on Arcadia Heights.

Some nice showers the past week. Dick Fletcher of Ironton was here a few days last week buying wheat.

Mrs. Eliza Ramsey of Caledonia spent last week with her niece, Mrs. Jas. W. Wood.

Mrs. John Barger and son of Big River were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Buford last week.

Miss Agnes Brown of Graniteville is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. L. Logan.

Miss Anna Farrar of Ironton is visiting friends here.

Robert Wood visited relatives on Black River last week.

Miss Blanche McClurg of Bismarck was the guest of Miss Ruth Bynum last Friday.

A goodly number of valley folk spent last Sunday on Arcadia Heights. All report a pleasant and profitable day.

Dr. A. A. Meador was called last week to the bedside of his mother, near Piedmont.

Mrs. Mary Haines and Mrs. Emma Caruthers and son, all of Texas, are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bell.

Miss Essie Moore spent last week in the home of her brother, Oliver Moore, near Caledonia.

Mrs. H. L. Bell and daughter, Gladys, returned last Monday from a two weeks' visit in Sullivan, Mo.

Miss Lillian Althuser of Caledonia was a guest at the Paulus Hotel the first of the week. ALPHA.

Baptist Assembly Notes.

Attendance larger than ever up to Sunday A. M.

System of class work better than ever; more work being done and more entering classes.

Weather conditions are ideal and campers highly pleased with Arcadia Heights at present.

Restaurant, under management of Miss Celia Martin, giving splendid satisfaction and having a larger patronage than ever.

Estimated attendance last Sunday, 1500. Rev. Geo. W. Daniel preached a most inspiring sermon from 19th Chapter of Acts: "So mightily grew the word of the Lord and prevailed."

At the conclusion of the sermon, a collection was taken to take care of Assembly indebtedness and further the work. Collection amounted to \$1,900.50.

Monday afternoon, during recreation hours, the B. Y. P. U. entertained with "Phunny" debates, songs etc., concluding with an old time circus, unique in its conception and highly humorous.

Tuesday afternoon the Orchestra & Glee Club from Will Mayfield College at Marion, Ind., assisted by soloists or eight talented artists from Farmington, entertained the Assembly in a highly creditable manner.

Dr. W. G. Tyzer, Superintendent of Mayfield Sanitarium, spent Saturday and Sunday at the Assembly.

Mr. and Mrs. Washburn and son, Fred, of St. Louis, were with us from Saturday until Monday, and expressed their satisfaction by a generous response when collection was taken.

The Assembly is running at high tide and every body happy.

It is needless to add that every body has fallen in love with the assembly pastor, Bro. McDaniel. You just can't help it.

The new B. Y. P. U. pavilion was named the Flake Pavilion by unanimous action of the B. Y. P. U. Monday night. Mr. Flake having been most active in promoting its construction. The pavilion is most convenient and artistic. The chimney and fire-place are especially admired by all.

Goodland Items.

The weather turned cooler Sunday evening after being uncomfortably hot several days.

Mr. Wallen lost one of his horses lately.

Dr. Martin moved his family back to civilization last Sunday. He, himself, intending to go west, either to Montana or California. This leaves us with Dr. Adams as our stand by.

Pete Wilson and family of Monterey were week-end guests of Mrs. Kate Shrum.

Mr. and Mrs. Grammond have a new baby.

Mrs. C. A. White called on Dr. Adams for medical aid.

Mr. and Mrs. Blackwell (Salome Love) are up from Texas, where Mr. B. teaches, to spend vacation with R. C. Love and family.

Miss Elvoren Love has a position in a school in Arkansas to teach domestic economy.

S. L. Brooks and Clifford Adams are well pleased with Montana. They do not say when they will return.

John Love and family are entertaining visitors, cousins of Mrs. Love's.

G. G. Adams and J. L. Brooks attended M. W. A. lodge at Black Saturday night.

There was singing at the Baptist church Saturday night.

Some parties from Flat River visited Redmondville in an automobile and are prospecting for mineral.

Mrs. Fred Tinker is quite sick.

A very sad death occurred at Goodland lately. David Elmer Mayfield died at the home of his brother, after a week of typhoid fever. Dr. Martin attended him. Dave, as he was known by his friends, was but 23 years old and had been married but a month. His blind father and his widowed bride have the sympathy of the community.

A large concourse followed him to his last resting place in the Eaton graveyard.

Mrs. Esther Martin of Huxza attended her brother's funeral at Goodland.

Mrs. Rachel Graham spent the week-end with Mrs. Eveline Brooks. Raymond and Opal Anderson of Desloge are visiting W. H. Smith's family.

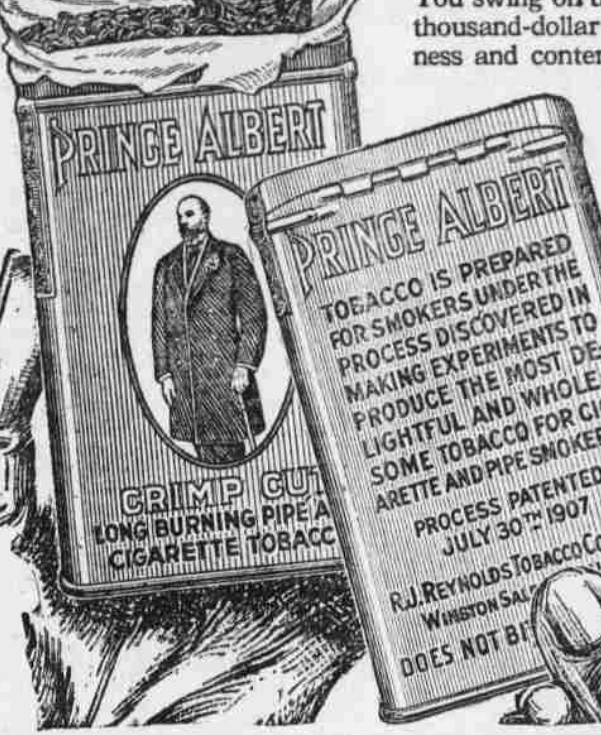
Randolph Adams taught a day last week for Mr. Downard, who was sick. TIMOTHY HAY.

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Ironton Mo.

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Chassis	=	=	=	\$325.00
Runabout	=	=	=	345.00
Touring Car	=	=	=	360.00
Coupelet	=	=	=	505.00
Town Car	=	=	=	595.00
Sedan	=	=	=	645.00

P. O. B. Detroit

Fletcher & Barger, Ironton, Mo.

Benjamin Gustav Funk was killed by lightning July 17th, 1916, aged 24 years and 27 days.

He leaves a wife, two children, father and mother, three sisters and one brother, and a host of friends to mourn their loss.

The funeral was held at the Annapolis church, conducted by Rev. E. L. Harrison of Leadwood, Mo.

Ben always had a smile and a kind word for every body. He was loved by all who knew him.

With deep regret over the loss of our dear one, we realize God does all things well. Time alone can lessen their grief, but the vacant chair can never be filled. A FRIEND.

In Memoriam.

Jasper Orrick was born in Jackson county, Illinois, August 29, 1838, and died suddenly at his home, near Graniteville, Missouri, July 30, 1916, aged 77 years, 11 months and one day.

An attack of heart disease was the immediate cause of death. He had been in poor health for several months.

Jasper Orrick came to Missouri about 1846, and was united in marriage to Elizabeth Edmonds, January 14, 1859. To this union were born twelve children, of whom four sons and three daughters survive, to mourn the loss of their father and to make less lonely the life of their widowed mother.

He had been a resident of Iron county the greater part of his life and a member of the Missionary Baptist Church for 28 years. Death was only the exchange of the cross for a crown! What a blessed thought! Death came to him, and with one hand lifted from the weary form the heavy cross, and with the other placed upon the careworn brow a crown that is incorruptible and fadeeth not away.

Wife, children, friends, console yourselves for his troubles are over, and his soul is with his God. He leaves a wife, four sons, three

## Keep the Kidneys Well.

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